GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES – Sri S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate, Law Department – Departmental Proceedings under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 –Articles of Charges – Amendment – Issued.

Law (M.I) Department

G.O.Rt.No. 72

Dated 13- 01-2012 Read the following:-

- 1) Explanation received from Sri S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate, Law Department, Dated 25-7-2011.
- 2) G.O.Rt.No.1554, Law (M.I) Department, Dated 03-10-2011.

ORDER:-

In the reference 1st cited Sri S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate, Law Department, has stated in his explanation as follows:

"Without salary, I am facing much problem in maintaining my family, to feed them I had obtain huge loan from the private Financers, for treatment of my wife and for my old age mother. Under these circumstances, I am facing much problem in payment of interest on the loan taken from the private financers. The financers are harashing me now and then. Due to their unbearable torture, my family was forced to go underground, further, I developed some health problem and doctors diagonise that I am suffering from joint pain problem and advised me to take complete treatment and advised me to take complete rest during the treatment period, and recently I got sugar problem, under these circumstances, I am unable to attend the office, and at the same time I could not face the financers".

Thus, he has violated Rule 8 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules 1964. Therefore, another Article of Charge is framed in addition to the Article of Charge framed in the G.O. 2nd read above.

AMENDMENT

(i) In Annexure (I) of G.O.Rt.No.1554, Law (M.I) Department, Dated 03-10-2011, after Article (I) the following Article of Charge is framed against Sri S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate, Law Department.

Article -II

That the said Sri S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate, Law Department, in his explanation dated 25-7-2011 has stated

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Therefore, he has violated Rule 3 and Rule 8 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules 1964.

(ii) In Annexure (II) of G.O.Rt.No.1554, Law (M.I) Department, Dated 03-10-2011, Under statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in support of the Articles of Charge framed against Sri S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate, Law Department, the following shall be inserted, namely:

Rule 8 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules 1964, specifies that

- **Rule 8. Lending, borrowing and insolvency:-** (1) No Government employee shall, save in the ordinary course of business with a bank or a public limited company, himself or through any member of his family or any person acting on his behalf, -
 - (a) lend or borrow or deposit money as a principal or agent, to, or form, or with, any person or firm or private limited company within the local limits of his authority or with whom he is likely to have official dealings or otherwise place himself, under pecuniary obligation to such person or firm; or
 - (b) lend money to any person at interest or in manner whereby return in money or kind is charged or paid:

Provided that Government employee may give to, or accept from a relative or a person friend a purely temporary loan of small amount free or interest or operate a credit account with a bonafide tradesman or make an advance of pay to his private employee;

Provided further that nothing in this sub-rule shall apply in respect of any transaction entered into by a Government Employee with the previous sanction of the Government.

Sri S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate Law Department, in his explanation has stated that he has obtained huge loans. He has not obtained prior permission/ or intimated to the Office above his lending. Therefore, he has violated Rule 3 and Rule 8 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules 1964,

(iii) Annexure – (III) substituted, namely:-

List of Documents by which the Articles of Charge framed against Sri S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate are proposed to be sustained.

- (i) Copy of the Attenders extract dated 08-7-2011 and 11-7-2011 and observations of the D.S. (OP) thereon.
- (ii) Explanation received from Sri S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate, Law Department, Dated 25-7-2011.

(BY THE ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R.DAMODAR Secretary to Government, Legal Affairs.

To S.Ravi Kumar, Office Subordinate, Law Department Copy to: S/f & S/c.

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